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Wednesday, July 6th, at 10 a. m.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Monday evening, on or before full moon. Harry F. Fawcett, W. M.; H. D. Smith, Sec'y.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. J. O. Crocker, H. P.; H. D. Smith, Sec'y.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Eugene F. Smith, W. M.; Albert J. Stearns, Recorder.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. F. D. Briggs, W. M.; G. G. Mason, Sec'y.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Henry B. Foster, G. P.; G. G. Mason, Sec'y.

Mr. HOWE REVEREND LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Maggie Z. Libby, W. M.; G. A. A. A. Libby, Sec'y.

HARRY RUST POST, No. 54, G. A. R., meets in G. A. R. Hall, on the first Friday evening of each month. E. H. Brown, Com.; S. A. Bennett, Adj.; W. S. Cordwell, Q. M.

PENNSYLVANIA LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, Wednesday evening, J. I. Mallett, C. C.; Wesley H. Ginn, K. of R. & S.

A. O. NOYES LODGE, No. 12, U. R. K. of P., meets in Pythian Hall, the third Friday in each month. A. J. Rowe, Sir Knight Captain; Wesley H. Ginn, Sir Knight Recorder.

NORWAY COMMANDERY, No. 247, U. O. G. O., meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday evenings of each month. Geo. L. Jackson, C. C.; Lucinda Martin, K. of R.

LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 17, E. O. P., meets in G. A. R. Hall, on the first and third Friday evenings of each month. O. M. Cummings, Warden; Frank R. Williams, Secretary.

NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS CONCORD, No. 10, U. O. A. M., meets at G. A. R. Hall, South Paris, every Monday night at 8 o'clock. G. H. Wyman, Conductor; B. R. Howard, recording secretary.

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Santiago De Cuba.

Gen. A. S. Twichell Describes His Observations While Consul in the Town.

Something About the Ways of the Cubans.—Of Interest Because It Is Told by a Man We Know.

The war news of the past few days, and the apocalyptic true facts from Cuba, is of more than ordinary interest to me, for my remembrance of Santiago de Cuba and the friends whom I left in and about that Cuban city, and my own movement there, at this critical time, of the war, has been a personal concern, and prompts me to give to the readers of the Union a few facts concerning this city, its surroundings and its people.

The city of Santiago de Cuba, situated upon the southern coast of Cuba, and near the eastern end, is the capital of the district of Santiago, and, in wealth and influence, has long been second only to Havana upon that beautiful island of the sea. It is, or was in 1898, a city of about 60,000 inhabitants, a large majority of whom are of mixed blood, largely negroes, and all those classed as Cubans have more or less of this blood coursing through their veins. There are comparatively very few Americans in this eastern district, the only language commonly spoken being the Spanish, and the American consulate being about the only place where our language is heard, for here all Americans find a gathering place and a home within the city.

Unlike many of the cities, especially along the northern coast, almost everything is Spanish, and the laws as they are promulgated and enforced, are peculiarly so; in fact, it is this arbitrary enforcement of what is called the "Spanish rule in Cuba," that has brought all this trouble upon them, and now upon us; that has caused all the uprisings among the people and is now destined so soon to free them from their terrible bondage.

America, with all its unjust treatment in its infancy and under the British yoke, never knew one half the suffering that has come to Cuba through its mother country, and the little Boston teary in Boston harbor with its unprofitable proceedings, was a no more fitting rebuke than would be the destruction of the Spanish fleet in the harbor of Santiago.

The city of Santiago, as one for the first time looks upon it from the harbor, coming from the sea, is a beautiful picture, rising, as it does, gradually from the harbor, dressed in white, with its background of hills. The harbor, which is entirely Spanish, is the most beautiful of the harbors on the coast of Cuba.

It is a scene never to be forgotten, and especially after being four days and four nights on board the Spanish steamer from Barabano to this point, one experience of which is enough for a lifetime, it seems like the entrance to the celestial city, and we long to tread its streets. It is soon learned, however, that here is no such thing as a celestial city, and the realization, between the beautiful picture presented to us at a distance, and in the sunlight, and a nearer approach which discloses its true character as a Spanish city.

Santiago, as I knew it, was both beautiful and disgusting; beautiful in its surroundings and its natural scenery, but disgusting in its treatment and condition as a human habitation. No care was taken to clean up the streets, which were often impassable, and its sanitary condition was simply awful. Refuse of every description was dumped into the streets, where also dead bodies of animals were left, the only real sanitary measures being the removal of the dead, which, disgusting as they are, have a human appearance as they float and remove it from the streets; and, as we watched these birds day after day from the wharves, gathered and refuse thrown from the city market across the street, and performing the duties of health officers, I did not wonder that they were held in veneration, and upon the system of the city, given the freedom of the city, and were safe from all harm even under martial law. The only other street cleaner is the heavy rain, which, in the season, sends torrents down the streets into the harbor, thus washing out the refuse, but the city always presenting its most beautiful and cleanly appearance after one of these showers.

The buildings throughout the city are very low, but few being more than one story, except that, as they rise one above the other along the street extending up to the plaza from the harbor, they have a basement to a portion of them, which usually serves as a kitchen, or a storehouse. They are all painted white, or whitewashed, and it is their gradual rising and uniform appearance which makes such a beautiful picture as we look upon when approaching it from the harbor. The plaza, upon a higher level ground, is surrounded by the most costly structures, upon one side being the splendid cathedral, and upon the other the sides of the principal business houses. It is the greatest place of the city, where upon every pleasant evening the crowd gathers, and with music and marching there is much of real enjoyment.

The police work is done by the soldiers under the direction of the military department and the captain of the port, and is very severe to those who are unfortunate enough to fall into their hands. An arrest for any cause, once brings the accused to the prison, and one who has once found a bed and a breakfast there never forgets the experience. One night in the prison at Santiago was punishment enough for almost any crime.

There is but one public railroad in this eastern district, and that has long been controlled by American capital, though under Spanish law. It runs from Santiago to St. Louis, and has been mostly used in transporting the sugar and other exports from the interior to the city.

The harbor at Santiago is a piece of nature's most remarkable workmanship. The entrance between high cliffs is very narrow and difficult of access, even without being mined. The channel, winding its way for a mile or more to the harbor proper, cannot be traversed by vessels or steamers without the aid of skilled pilots, who know its pathway, and who, through this passage, assume full command at the wheel. A portion of this way is so narrow, for sea-going craft, that it is only accessible for one at a time, so that to enter or leave, especially near the entrance, there can be nothing but single file. When once within, however, it broadens out, with plenty of sea room, though only the lighted end of the wharves, where there not being sufficient depth of water near the shore for steamers and larger sea-going vessels.

The distance from the entrance to the wharves, before the city, is about five miles, and the wharves are about one mile beyond this, the whole length being not far from six miles, with about one half this width at the widest point. There are several important points along this harbor, the most important being several landing places, which a large amount of iron and manganese ore is shipped from their extensive mines, to which private railways extend, and over which for a number of years past a great deal of business has been done, almost wholly with the United States. These valuable ores, which are found in abundance in the mountains and are said to be the best in the world, are shipped mostly to Philadelphia and Baltimore, English steamers, and there are "tramps," doing most of this transportation, it being, or having been, at least, until broken up by this war, the chief business at the American consulate in the work of export trade.

A most interesting and very handsome structure extending out into the harbor is the large boat-house of the Santiago boat club, one of the richest and most influential clubs in the city. It is the most beautiful and costly building of its kind upon the tropical waters.

Morro castle, upon the high cliff at the entrance of the harbor, is an old Spanish fortification, and it looks as any indication of its strength. In fact, it was an old, weather-beaten structure, not greatly to be feared. Mounted with its ancient artillery, it could not withstand heavy shot or return effective fire. The entrance, however, seems to me, in entering the harbor, to be the most beautiful of the forts, in the mines, which, placed at the entrance, cannot be easily avoided, and it would be reckless rather than true bravery that would without first exploding the mines.

The island of Cuba, rich in its lands and minerals, and in its tropical climate, is well called the "Pearl of the Antilles," as is, naturally, among the richest and most beautiful islands of the sea. Its exports, principally sugar, iron and manganese ore, mahogany and fruits, are largely, and, in fact, almost wholly, to the United States, and these increasing exports, principally in the eastern district, of which Santiago is the capital and great center, has been building up a shipping trade with the United States destined to add greatly to the wealth of the island and to the commerce of the world.

The treaty made between the United States and Spain, which removed the heavy duties on the most important exports, gave a new impetus to business and encouraged capital, largely American, to invest in the sugar and mining business, the two great industries which find such favorable inducements in the soil and among the mountains, the soil being especially favorable to the raising of cane for the manufacture of sugar, and the mountains, abounding in minerals, principally iron and manganese, the supply of which seems to be inexhaustible. Tobacco and coffee are also raised in large quantities, and the manufacture of cigars is extensively carried on in all parts of the island.

The climate is warm and dry during the most of the year, but is more equable than in most of the countries further north—for instance, the thermometer never rises higher as it does at times in New York, and the heat of summer, and what is still more remarkable, the sunstroke is never known. In Santiago the average temperature is said to be about 80 degrees, that of the hottest month being about 84 degrees, and that of the coolest month 73 degrees. This heat, especially in June, July and August, is far different, as it seemed to me, from the same degree here at home, and that to living alone in the city, it comes with an irresistible force, and instead of producing sunstroke, brings a tropical fever, which, to say the least, is uncomfortable, and which, if thoroughly fixed in the system, is the poor tenderfoot, is likely to result seriously.

One of the first things which strikes a stranger visiting Cuba for the first time, especially if he or she has been brought up in New England and taught to reverence the Sabbath, is the manner in which this our day of rest, is kept and observed. It is the grand day of the week, and when labor is laid aside and pleasure rules the hour.

Bull fighting is an old Spanish custom, but for some years it has not been practiced as an amusement in Cuba, until in a few years it has been revived, and in some of the larger cities, especially in Havana and Santiago, it has come to be a great Sunday pastime during a portion of the year.

Justice, as I observed in Cuba, is a giddy girl and cannot be said to be impartial and without

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Sarah T. Haskell, Harrison has had a pension granted, \$8.

very sure that a highly educated Cuban or Spaniard, especially if he speaks English well, will tell you all about New York or Philadelphia or Boston, or any part of the United States where he has spent his school life, and in fact you will find him a very good American, while at the same time he loves his home and is proud of his birth in sunny Cuba. The girls are taught mostly in the convents, especial instruction being given them in embroidery and fancy work, which is much engaged in by the ladies, it being their favorite employment, and not considered as labor.

Cuba Americanized would be far different from what it is to-day, and believing it is destined to so become, I see for her a bright future in which it will not only be "Sunny Cuba," but the garden of the world.—Manchester Union.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Discovered" fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz. Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at Noyes Drug Store, Norway, and F. A. Shurtleff's, South Paris. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

BETHEL.

Agnes Kimball has finished her school at Berlin, N. H., and will spend a part of her vacation with relatives in Bethel. There will be horse races at Riverside Park, Bethel, on the 4th. J. P. Skillings has gotten up three races, 2.30, 2.45 and green horse classes, purses \$100 for each event.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana B. Hall, on Monday, June 20, occurred the marriage of Winifred Hall and Lyndon U. Bartlett. Miss Hall was one of Bethel's well known young ladies. She graduated from Gould Academy in 1897. Mr. Bartlett is the son of James S. Bartlett of this town. Rev. F. E. Barton of the Universalist church officiated. A collection was dutifully served to the friends and relatives present. The rooms and tables were prettily decorated. Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett started upon a short tour to Massachusetts and on their return they will reside for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

MIDDLE INTERVALE.—Clark & Hamm of Berlin, N. H., are taking fine views through the country.

Several from this vicinity attended the concert at the Hill, June 20.

Miss Carter, our teacher, has not been able to be in the schoolroom, for several days. Frances Carter has taken her place.

The caterpillars have been very destructive, the past week. Many orchards look as though a fire had run through them. The apple crop seems doomed again, this year, for although the trees blossomed well but few apples have set.

WEST LOVELL.

The schools closed, last Friday.

Mrs. Olden McAllister remains about the same.

Mrs. Webster Abbott has been sick and under the doctor's care.

Ed. Bell has been using Paris Green on his orchard to kill the caterpillars.

Perley McKee was through the place on his way to Sweden. He was selling washing machines.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. McAllister and two sons went to Bethel, last week, to attend the funeral of Mrs. McAllister's brother, Henry Farwell.

RUMFORD.

Mrs. Oville J. Gonyea is visiting at Berlin, N. H.

Gertrude Hall is visiting at her home in Damariscotta.

V. A. Linnell is building a stable for Rufus J. Virgin.

James McGregor will build a house to let, on Franklin street.

Capt. Fred Barker was down from Bemis, one day last week.

Prof. Chapman's great concert, last week, was up to recommendations.

There will be lots of building on Maine avenue extension, this season.

Dr. Bisbee and wife attended Bowdoin commencement. Their son Harlan received a scholarship.

Principal F. O. Small of Washington Academy, East Machias, is visiting his brothers, W. W. and Harry Small.

The next term of school will be with increased accommodations. Another schoolhouse will be built at once.

New postmaster, July 1. Mr. McKeehan has been a difficult model to follow, but we all hope Mr. Stearns is equal to the task.

Roland Morrison and wife of Lyme, N. H., visited at Rev. E. W. Webber's, last week. While here, Mr. Morrison bought the Dr. Houghton house on Penobscot street for an investment.

The new choir of the Universalist church consists of:

Soprano—Mrs. F. O. Walker, Mrs. Elsie Pratt.

Altos—Mrs. F. E. Randall, Marion Burditt.

Tenors—E. M. Woodman, Fred Parsons.

Bass—F. O. Walker, Elsie Pratt.

Organist—Mrs. R. J. Virgin.

Director—Elsie Pratt.

HARRISON.

Summer boarders are getting to be numerous.

John Tibbets is repairing and partially remodeling his house.

Prof. A. F. Richardson and family of Castine will spend the hot months here.

Eight hundred thousand cans will be made for the season's pack at the corn shop.

Geo. E. Tarbox is the northern Cumberland member of the Republican county committee.

James Jones of Oxford is clerking for Sylvester & Dudley. Mr. Jones is a registered druggist.

Adelaide Hibbard of Boston gave a reading at the Congregational church, last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Walter Dudley attended the Hebron Academy graduation. Her niece, Mabel Richardson, was one of the class.

One of our smart old men is Sprague Keen. Despite his 83 years he works in the garden every day and can swing a scythe with any of the youngsters.

Deacon Asa P. Whitney spends the summer here. He was formerly one of the leading men of this town, but has lived in Marshall, Minn., for several years.

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Eastern Land Conveyances.

ANDOVER.—B. L. Atkins to L. I. Atkins, \$1.

BUCKFIELD.—H. A. Allen to Gilbert Tilton, \$1.

CANTON.—E. L. Smith to John P. Swasey, \$75; F. J. Grant to Ida F. Grant, \$1.

DIXFIELD.—Mary Talbot to Sarah Mitchell, \$1; Philena Hannaford to Etta F. Flagg, \$100; Hiram Holman to Mary Marble et al., \$300.

GREENWOOD.—Geo. F. Stone to M. A. Swan, \$1; E. A. Jackson to M. A. Swan, \$200.

HARTFORD.—J. A. Gerry et al. to Cyrus Winslow, \$25.

MEXICO.—C. W. Rustis to G. G. Gates, \$1; same to same, \$400.

NORWAY.—Wm. A. Judkins to J. P. Judkins, \$125; Dimon Hamilton to Clara W. Smith, \$1.

OXFORD.—Clara F. Warren to Eli Roy, \$1; L. E. Washburn to Adna D. Bemis, \$100.

PARIS.—Hiram U. Heald to Cora A. Crawford, \$125; Geo. D. Robinson to Minnie H. Ham, \$150; Arabella Robinson to Daniel Swift, \$50.

PERT.—Frank Demeritt to Benj. Lovejoy, \$10.

RUMFORD.—E. M. Jackson to H. T. Morse et al., \$300.

ROXBURY.—E. T. Hodsdon to Persis A. Hodsdon, \$175.

STUMER.—Lena E. Sewall et al. to Mary J. Sewall, \$1.

WATERFORD.—John Wyman to C. H. Eastman, \$1.

WELCHVILLE.

At the reunion of the soldiers and their wives of Co. H, 17th Maine, at Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Chaplin's, there were not so many of the soldiers present from a distance as there would have been had it been pleasant the day before.

A bountiful dinner was served by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Chaplin, which all seemed to enjoy immensely.

The entertainment consisted of target shooting and music both vocal and instrumental. Mr. Spurr and H. W. Stuart, playing the violin and Maude Stuart organist. After dinner the young people repaired to the hall where Mr. Spurr played the violin for a waltz.

The younger members of the company enjoyed a boat ride in A. L. Chaplin's new boat, "Dewey," up the Androscoggin to Camp Hogan. All enjoyed the ride much. Mr. and Mrs. Chaplin are noted for their hospitality and pleasant manner of entertaining. It was a day long to be remembered by all present.

FRANKLIN PLANTATION.

C. T. Wyman is shingling his barn.

D. H. Weaver is newly shingling his dwelling house.

Angus Gillis is working in the Rumford Falls paper mill.

James Burke is working for R. L. Thurston of Rumford.

Benj. Lord was at R. L. Thurston's, Rumford, on the 24th.

School in Lane district closed a successful term on the 24th.

Peter Teague of Rumford Falls visited at T. H. Thornton's, 20th inst.

Mrs. Emma Bennett, who has been keeping house for Royal A. Clement, returned to her home in Gilead on the 15th inst.

R. A. Clement, Henry Lahay, Ambrose Clement and Fred Lahay worked on the Rumford for M. L. Wyman on the 22nd and 23rd inst.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Royal Lord has bought him a house.

Roland Littlefield has finished working on the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sawin visited in Hanover, last week.

Thomas Jordan is making quite extensive repairs on his barn.

J. F. Lord sold a cow to Warner Kneeland of Waterford, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sawin and son recently visited friends in Bethel.

George Abbott went to Sandy Creek, last Saturday, after his mother.

Mrs. Beulah Abbott has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Chaplin.

John F. Mason from Sumner has been spending a few days at his home in this place.

Fred Littlefield who has been quite poorly for some months past is improving in health.

J. W. Lewis of China, agent for The New England Homestead, has been canvassing in this and the surrounding towns, this week.

Mrs. Lydia Sawin is at Auburn where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Lottie Sawin, who was taken to the hospital at Lewiston, last Wednesday, where she submitted to a serious surgical operation, through which she passed successfully, but at present lies in a critical condition. Her many friends are anxiously hoping for a speedy recovery.

The Maine Press Association go to the Maritime Provinces on their annual excursion, that will be made the week of July 11th.

Pangus and the Old Gun.

Solomon Doble of South Paris formerly of Sumner while visiting his friends at the latter place, rode down to this place with mail man, K. P. Bowker, on Saturday.

Mr. Doble is in his 83rd year, and about 17 years he carried the mail and passengers from Sumner and return and never failed of connection.

He sometimes failed of regular trips, as did the trains, but he was never docked in his accounts by report of the writer, for he always tried to get there.

Mr. Doble informed the writer that he could correct many errors in the historical account as presented at Sumner's centennial of who built this mill or the first mills at West Sumner, etc.,

Appropos of the above comes the story of who killed Pangus or who did not.

And while we are thinking how many times traditions and the spun theories which we have huggled to our bosoms and cherished for years, when all of sudden off go the props and the structure falls the ground.

The story of Washington and his hatchet has been knocked to smithereens and Shakespeare never wrote Shakespeare at all, but that other fellow did it and palmed it off on to Shake.

Then again, who can name an article of food that has been recommended as healthful and nutritious by the medical fraternity, that has never been condemned as being poisonous and unhealthful by others of the craft?

But what about Pangus? A few years ago the writer obtained an old flint-lock with priming wire and brush attachment complete, as required at inspection on training occasions in the long ago.

With considerable pride we were exhibiting the same, when up comes a neighbor and claims that he has the very gun which Chamberlain shot Pangus.

Now for proof positive. Since the late controversy has come to the fore, your correspondent has called on A. W. Libby of this place and examined his gun. Yes, this must be the gun. Mr. Libby produced the gun, years ago of Mr. Norris of Wayne, who at the time was an octogenarian, and to further more demonstrate the fact, the stock being straight and awkward to obtain sight along the barrel, considerable of the stock was cut away by Chamberlain to give room for his cheek to drop lower.

All of which is respectfully submitted. GILBERT TILTON.

KEZAR FALLS.

Mrs. Alma Hayden and two children of Norway are visiting Mrs. Hayden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Pendexter.

Rev. John Collins, a former pastor of the M. E. Church here, but now a resident of Somersworth, New Hampshire, has a son on board the U. S. S. Scorpion, as ensign at Chicago, where he has lived the last three years. Ensign B. R. T. Collins comes of good fighting stock, his father being well-known these many years for his vigorous courage and intemperance. It takes courage to fight a foe which caters to the appetite and robs its victims of common sense.

The graduating exercises of the Parsonsfield Seminary and Piper Free High School were held in North Parsonsfield in the Free Baptist Church, the afternoon of June 5th. The church was tastefully decorated with the national colors. The day was one of June's perfect specimens, and the audience large and appreciative. The exercises were interspersed with singing by the Cecilia Quartet. The order of exercises was as follows:

Prayer..... Charles E. Smart, Centre Ossipee, N. H.

Salutatory..... Charles E. Smart, Centre Ossipee, N. H.

Contentment..... Alice H. Weston, North Parsonsfield.

Miseries of War..... Richard Dearborn, Ellingham, N. H.

Out of Darkness into Light..... Eugene A. Richardson, Kezar Falls.

Personal History..... Grace L. Pendexter, South Hiram.

Ravages of Time..... Charles E. Smart, Centre Ossipee, N. H.

Valuedictory..... Eugene A. Richardson, Kezar Falls.

Address and presentation of diplomas by the Principal, Isaiah Trufant.

The class ode composed by Grace L. Pendexter and Eugene A. Richardson was sung to the tune of "Old Folks at home."

The concert in the evening by the Cecilia Quartet was much enjoyed and well attended. The class prophecies occurred Thursday evening.

D. L. Merrill will sell all the standing grass on his farm in East Waterford, at auction, Monday, July 11, at 1.30 p. m. He will also sell the farm if anyone wishes to start it at a fair price.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Charlie Atherton is at home from his school in Waltham, Mass.

Alonzo Lewis of Fryeburg was here, a short time ago, on business.

Ivory Cole and wife of West Brownfield spent last Sabbath with their son and wife, A. T. Cole.

Mrs. Perley Littlefield, a short time ago, received the sad news of the death of her sister's husband.

Clinton Cole and wife of the Center House, Centre Conway, were the guests of his cousins, Andrew Cole and wife, last Sunday.

Our teacher, Miss Allard, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Brownfield. She also attended the graduation at Fryeburg, last week.

Corrie Herriek's friends in this place were sorry to hear of his death. He worked for his uncle, H. B. Cotton, at Cotton's mills for quite a long time.

Pike Perkins and daughter of Tamworth spent a few days last week with his sick sister, Mrs. Albra Garland; also their brother, Chase Perkins of Jackson, made her a short visit, last week. All are sorry for Mrs. G. She has a tumor.

David Putnam has two city boarders and Perley Littlefield one; also the Nesmith family came, last Saturday, to their summer home here. J. A. Garland, who worked for them, last summer, will work for them again, this year. He and his wife have lived in the house since last fall. Mr. Garland is going to stop, this summer, with Mrs. John Potter, very near Mr. Nesmith's.

Catarrh of the Bowels.

"I had a terrible burning sensation in my stomach." Doctors thought I had a boil on my liver, and could not relieve me. I could not retain what I ate. My bowels were in a very bad condition. I finally decided to take Pe-ru-na. One bottle made me feel better. It finally cured me. I thank God that Pe-ru-na was recommended to me. J. P. Lambert, Templeton, Tenn. All druggists sell Pe-ru-na.

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Flag Raising.

Friday, June 24, 1898, "Old Glory" was unfurled to the breeze in front of the new schoolhouse on Bear River.

From the time a flag was first spoken of for the school, the scholars and parents (and some who are not parents) have shown the liveliest interest. In twenty-four hours after the first quarter was received by the solicitor, enough had been contributed to purchase a good 5x9 flag.

A speaker was chosen to make the address, but he was unable to attend and suggested a substitute. For some reason he failed to appear, but appropriate remarks were made by the school board.

At 2.30 o'clock, about one hundred and twenty-five people had assembled to listen to the following program:

Prayer.....Rev. O. L. Stone
Remarks.....School board
Reading.....The Origin of the Flag
Recitation.....Grace Hastings
The New England States.....Everett Brown
Song.....Three Girls and two Boys
Grace Hastings, Elvora and Minnie Fuller
Charge of the Light Brigade.....
Recitation.....Five girls and two boys
Original Poem, Our Boys and Girls.....
Raising the Flag.....Walter Powers
Cheers, long and loud.....School
Oath of allegiance.....School
Refreshments, ice cream and cake.....

NORTH WOODSTOCK.

Azel Bryant and wife of Locke's Mills visited F. C. Bryant's, last Sunday.

Helen Doughty made a flying visit home from H. Penley's in Rumford, recently. She came on her wheel.

Religious services were held at Milton schoolhouse, last Sunday, with good attendance. Rev. S. S. York presiding.

Mrs. Esther Harding and little son Ceylon of Haverhill, Mass., are visiting her husband's parents, W. E. Harding and wife.

Frank A. Harding, wife, children and mother-in-law, Mrs. Hatch, all of Auburn, are guests at his father's, W. F. Harding's.

Wm. Haines, wife and son of Richmond are visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Hemingway, and brother, F. C. Bryant, and sister, Ada Hittings, all of this place.

R. E. Farnum has his barn covered in and roof shingled. Will have it in readiness for a dance, Friday night, July 1st.

Mr. Farnum is a progressive and industrious farmer, keeping quite a large dairy of nineteen cows, besides other stock. He has three farms in his possession, which he and his son Albert carry on with very little hired help.

HALE.

Wallace Mason went to Bethel, Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Flagg and daughter Annie are working for K. Knapp.

A. H. Kenerson, wife and baby spent Sunday with friends in Peru.

Mason Bros. are having extensive repairs done to their boarding house.

The caterpillars have stripped most all of the apple orchards of their foliage.

Mrs. Will Holt and Mrs. Wing spent Sunday at Dixfield with Mrs. Mel Frost.

The stars and stripes are seen flying from a good many residences in this place.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

I. W. Andrews attended the State Convention at Augusta, Monday.

Iza Curtis of Snow's Falls is doing housework at A. M. Andrews'.

Jason Bryant, who has been working in Lewiston for some time, has been sleeping at home.

Our very successful term of school under the instruction of Stella Bowker closes, Friday next.

I. B. Davis and Geo. Cummings are with the road crew this season. Work will be suspended soon until after the hay season.

Newell Thurlow, who is with Company D at Chickamauga, sends photos intensely realistic and gratifying to the friends at home.

Ranley Felt has had erected a pretty little tablet at his mother's grave in the cemetery. We also notice several lots have been graded and others well touched up.

KEZAR FALLS.

Dr. J. W. Dearborn, Allen Garner, John Merrill and Frank Towne were in Augusta, last Tuesday, as delegates to the Republican convention from the town of Parsonfield.

Edgar F. Gentleman, esq., is the nominee for representative in the town of Porter, and the probabilities are that Walter Perkins, esq., of Cornish will represent Parsonfield.

Georgia Smith who has been sick with consumption, for several years, died at her home in South Hiram, aged thirty-one years. Rev. James Nixon conducted the funeral services which were held at her late residence at 2 p. m., June 25.

"Trask" is a good letter writer. When he and the rest of our boys in blue "come marching home again" the words of the old song will be again fulfilled. "The men will cheer, the boys will shout, the ladies they will all turn out, when Trask comes marching home."

Last Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Thayer, presiding elder of the district, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church. Children's day was celebrated in the evening by an address from the pastor and a concert by the children. The church was prettily decorated with potted plants and flowers.

MASON.

Willard Mason of Norway is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ernest Morrill.

Mrs. Charles Merrill of Bethel visited at O. G. Mason's, the past week.

George Westleigh and wife visited in Norway, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Polly A. Mills of Bethel visited at S. O. Grover's and Cyrus Mills', last Monday.

Barry Emery of Percy, N. H., was in town, last Wednesday, selling mop wringers.

Mrs. J. Hastings Bean and son Donald of South Paris were the guests of Oscar Mason, the past week.

Daniel Mills is putting on an ell from his house to his barn. Seth Mason and father of Bethel are doing the work.

We had squash pies, June 15th, from last year's crop. The squash was as perfect as it was when housed, last fall.

At the caucus, last Saturday, F. I. Bean was chosen delegate to attend the County Convention at South Paris, June 20th.

Nathan G. Mills, the oldest man in town, informed our scribe that he had green peas, new potatoes and turnips for dinner, June 27th, from his garden.

BUCKFIELD.

The E. L. H. S. students are at home now.

An early Monday morning and a late Saturday evening train is on.

Fred Atwood of Rumford Falls came down on Monday early train.

Bertha Lunt and Miss Forbes of B. were among the late students at Hebron.

Waldo Pettengill and Mrs. W. C. Pike of Rumford Falls were in town, Saturday.

Chester Tuttle who was injured by falling from his wheel seems to be all right.

Rumor has it that Z. Wilson Shaw has bought real estate on Turner street with a view of building.

Friday evening, Dr. A. F. Chase of Kent's Hill Seminary will lecture at the Methodist church, this being the closing exercises of the schools here.

Chas. C. Tilton of Auburn who had to leave the school on account of a severe illness is now with his grandparents, showing marked signs of improvement.

Dr. Childs owns a racing horse known in the books as Gammon. He also owns a Shepherd dog, which in going to and from the store often stirs up a sprinting match with the horses. The doctor and his clerk, John, took Gammon to the track, a few days since. "To work him out" (I think this the horse lore). Shepherd was there. Now John aspires to the "ribbuns," so he mounts the sulky.

"Now, John," says the doctor. "I want you to drive him slow and steady, and not let him out at all." So John braces well, well knowing the stubborn jaw with which he had to contend. The word was given. Gammon starts, and so does Shepherd. It was a dash from start to finish. John cries, "Call back the dog," but both horse and dog were in for game. Where the track was sold Gammon was the mitchest, where a little soft Shepherd was mucher.

So Gilpin went, to his heart's content. The dog, he had the pole.

It was nip and tuck, and neck and neck. When Johnny reached the goal.

The doctor laughed, to see the craft Among the bruiser kind.

While Johnny feared that he had steered A race too good to sell.

LOVELL.

L. E. Harmon and Veeman McAllister have each bought a bicycle.

Charles Gammon cut his foot quite badly, last week, but is getting along well.

F. E. Davis, Isaac Hobbs, Frank Harmon and wife were in Westbrook, last week.

Seth Hutchins has bought J. E. Farrington's grass. Daniel McAllister cut it for him.

A good hay crop here. Some have begun haying, but not much will be cut till after the 4th.

The circle, last Friday, was well attended. The next one will be held at the parsonage, July 1st.

WATERFORD.

Prof. Manley of Marietta College, Ohio, is at F. M. Atherton's, for the summer.

Luther Wheeler saw a very large buck deer in Addison Millett's pasture, the other day.

S. C. Davis has put on a stage from this place to Bridgton to connect with the railroad.

We understand the road commissioner in this part of the town has got through for the present.

E. M. Dudley is putting up a building for a carriage house. Will Emery is "master carter."

Mrs. Goddard of Portland is at W. T. Brown's. She has spent several summers with them.

L. L. Brown of Gorham, N. H., is visiting friends in town. His grandson, Cleve Richardson, is with him.

Elbridge Pike is going on the Flint farm to cut the hay. We hope he will make arrangements to stay with us.

It seems pleasant to hear the hum of machinery in passing the chair factory at South Waterford. We wish the owners success.

RUMFORD.

Tena Lord of Lovell is working for Mrs. Clara Estes.

J. H. Estes is raising his barn and putting on an addition.

Two deer have been seen in F. N. Stevens' field, the past week.

Mordant Rowe and family called on friends at the village, the past week.

Mrs. S. B. Hutchins is spending a few days at Mechanic Falls with her son Clarence.

A large number attended the Chapman concert at Rumford Falls, Tuesday night, and all pronounce it the best thing they ever heard.

FRYEBURG.

Miss M. Barrows returned to Boston, Tuesday.

Miss Whitney of Portland is at Wm. Gordon's.

Mrs. Fred Pingree of Brooks is at Mrs. Gordon's.

Thomas Ward is home from the University of Maine.

Miss S. C. Weston is home for the summer vacation.

W. R. Tarbox and A. F. Lewis were in Portland, Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Locke is spending two weeks at Cold river.

Miss Shedd attended commencement at Bowdoin College, last week.

Mrs. John Eastman has been visiting friends in North Conway, N. H.

The two Sunday schools will make an excursion to Sebago, Wednesday.

Fred Sawtelle was a member of the graduating class of the present year.

Charles C. Warren will attend the Republican State Convention, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nichols of Brooklyn, N. Y., are again guests at the Oxford, for the season.

Mabel Perkins and Susan Wiley will complete their studies at Farmington Normal School, next week.

Florence Wiley and Mary Woodward will attend the graduating exercises at the Farmington Normal School, next week.

Miss H. A. Pike returned from Walham, Thursday, and will spend the remainder of the summer at her home in town.

Mrs. G. B. Barrows gave a very interesting talk on Jamaica, Thursday evening, illustrating her remarks by exhibiting many of the products of the island.

The band gave a concert at New Church hall, Tuesday evening. They were assisted by Miss Robes, violinist, of Boston. The New Church society served refreshments.

OTISFIELD.

Hattie Scribner is to work for Albert Nutting.

David Robinson visited his brother Levi, recently.

Bert Moring and Eddie Davis have gone to Windham, Maying.

Hattie Maine of Bolster's Mills is at work for Daniel Holden.

Violet Mayberry has returned home from school at Bridgton.

Strawberries are very plenty. Every one means to get their share.

Mrs. Rose Edwards has sixty-three chickens, all white but three.

Mrs. Hattie Berry of Deering is visiting her brother, Walter Peaco.

Levi Maxfield of Casco visited his sister, Mrs. H. H. Edwards, recently.

Gene Edwards and family visited friends at Mechanic Falls, last week.

Ernest Harriman and family of Massachusetts visited at Hiram Edwards', last week.

Albert Leavitt and family of Gorham, N. H., visited at Gilman Nutting's, recently.

Nathaniel Strout and family of Mechanic Falls visited friends in this place, recently.

Mrs. D. E. Nutting and daughter Gertrude of White Water, Wis., are visiting at Daniel Holden's.

Willie Edwards sold his heifer, recently, for the sum of thirty dollars. She is not two years old yet.

Mrs. Frank Latulip and little daughter Nellie visited friends at Edes' Falls and Cook's Mills, last week.

R. T. Green of Boston has been visiting relatives and friends in this place, a few days, last week. His health has greatly improved.

ALBANY.

Mrs. Alice Bass has gone to Boston for a few days.

Mrs. Marilla Lebroke has gone to Norway for dry and fancy goods which she sells.

A. G. Bean is putting on an addition of 12 feet to his barn. His son Herbert is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grover of Bethel were the guests of her aunt, Mrs. H. O. Wilbur, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark with their two children have gone by carriage to St. Johnsbury, Vt., on a visit.

Herbert Bean showed us a specimen of clover which he believes to be without a precedent, it having six fully developed leaves. Would like to know if "there are others."

Mrs. C. L. Cole was appointed critic for the president. After quotations, current events and a discussion of the question, The New England States, adjourned to meet with Mrs. Ella Grover, June 29.

The Round Mt. Ladies' Club met with Mrs. H. O. Wilbur, June 15, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Pres., Mrs. Amy Guphill.
Vice-Pres., Mrs. Nancy Andrews.
Sec., Mrs. Lydia Fernald.
Treas., Mrs. Ella Grover.

Guy Carter, a lad of eleven years, a nephew of Mrs. Austin Hutchinson, as a driver of horses deserves to wear the belt. As told by an eye witness, he handled the reins over six reins which were attached to the road machine, in a manner which would have done credit to any man on the road.

FRYEBURG CENTER.

Twenty members of Julian Rebekah Lodge visited Naomi Lodge at Westbrook, last Tuesday. A very pleasant time was enjoyed. They took in the Islands, Riverton Park, etc., returning, Wednesday night, very tired and with yarns that would hardly stand law.

Last Friday night was the crowning event in the history of Fryeburg Center, it being the unfurling of the stars and stripes on the Odd Fellows hall. As the flag was flung to the breeze three hearty cheers were given by the citizens and Odd Fellows for "old glory."

Rev. Wm. Bragg was then introduced as speaker of the evening, and favored us with some very interesting and appropriate remarks. Fryeburg Cornet Band was present and gave us an out-door concert. Being a member of said band I will say nothing about the brilliant and harmonious strains they produced, but will leave that to more educated critics than myself. After the concert the band was invited to the banquet hall, where they were treated to hot coffee, cake and cheese, with a good cigar to settle their stomachs. They all started for home at ten o'clock, voting the Odd Fellows "bricks."

HEBRON.

Dr. Donham attended the Republican State Convention at Augusta, Tuesday.

Fred Walker of Portland was the guest of Henry K. Stearns, last Sunday.

Dr. Crane, Prof. Sargent and Prof. Teague attended commencement at Colby, this week.

Persian Everett and Sylvanus Beare attended the Republican District Convention at Lewiston, Monday.

Considerable excitement and alarm were created by the non appearance of a certain young man at his home one night recently. His wife, very much alarmed and scared, was out nearly all night searching for him. It was discovered in the morning that he had been sleeping in a near by house, not realizing the alarm that his absence had created.

SNOW'S FALLS.

May Swan of Greenwood is at work at Fred J. Wood's.

Iza L. Curtis is at work for Al. Andrews of South Woodstock.

The school at the Hollow under the instruction of Grace Bicknell of Norway closes, this week.

Ernest Shaw and E. Barton Curtis went to Black Brook, Tuesday, for two or three days fishing.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Charles Harlow remains very feeble. Elsie Turner is having his buildings painted.

Marjorie Hicks spent Sunday at her father's, George Cummings. Mrs. Hicks is much improved in health.

Everything is rejoicing in the lovely June weather. Many here have fine gardens. We have had the privilege of seeing two especially nice ones, Mrs. Lucinda Clark's and Charles E. Stuart's. Grass is looking finely.

Horace Barrows is having his shop near his residence completed where he will repair shoes, etc. His premises present a fine appearance, the many improvements he has made adding greatly to the look of that street.

The Fourth of July will be the 122nd anniversary of the Independence of the United States; also the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Grand Trunk Railroad.

BIRTHS.
In Harrison, June 21, to the wife of Bradford Kimball, a daughter (Helen).
In Rumford Falls, June 19, to the wife of Alex. Weir, a son.
In Dickvale, June 17, to the wife of Grafton B. Gordon, a daughter.
In Andover, to the wife of Eben Hutchins, a daughter.
In West Paris, June 14, to the wife of Walter Cole, a daughter.
In West Paris, June 22, to the wife of George Young, a son.
In West Paris, June 24, to the wife of Will Bryant, a son.
In Oxford, June 24, to the wife of Dr. W. L. Haskell, a daughter.
In Greenwood, June 28, to the wife of Chas. Merrill, a son.

MARRIAGES.
In Bethel, June 20, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana B. Hall, by Rev. F. E. Barton, Lyndon U. Brackett and Wilfred Hall, both of Bethel.
In Norway, June 25, by Judge Herriek C. Davis, Odillon B. Linnell and Mary J. Greenleaf, both of Norway.
In Norway, June 26, by Rev. B. S. Riteout, Frank Nash and Mary Isabel Brackett, both of Otisfield.
In Cambridge, Mass., June 1, by Rev. Dr. Parker, James M. Ricketts, Mass., and Emma J. Burnham of Waltham, Mass., daughter of Robert A. Burnham of Waltham.
In Virginia, by Rev. G. B. Hammarford, Elmer M. Parker and Miss M. Virginia, both of Mexico.
In Berlin, N. H., June 20, by Rev. A. T. Craig, Charles W. Eldridge of Bucksport and Lilla J. Woodward of Glaceau.
In Oxford, June 22, Perley French and Phenice Burns, both of Oxford.
In Rumford Falls, June 21, by Rev. J. D. Graham, Charles W. Mills and Annie Gill, both of Norway.
In Cincinnati, Ohio, June 25, Brackett Small of and Fannie E. Ackley of Harrison.
In Casco, June 19, Laffie Nutting and Sadie Perham, both of Casco.
In Webb's Mills, June 19, Orin Files of Casco and Grace Dunn of Naples.
In Naples, June 19, George Ayers and Minnie Bean, both of Naples.
In West Bethel, June 20, Wallace Mason and Minnie E. Wheeler, both of Bethel.

DEATHS.
In Sweden, June 21, E. W. Bennett, aged 62 years, 9 months.
In Bridgton, June 20, Oliver L. Pratt, formerly of West Paris, aged 52 years, 1 month, 18 days.
In Winslow, June 16, Mrs. Matilda F. Akers, formerly of Andover, aged 77 years, 3 months, 20 days.
In Bethel, June 23, Humphrey B. Holt, aged 62 years, 9 months, 18 days.
In Norway Lake, June 24, Mrs. Sarah S. widow of Lorenzo D. Hobbs, aged 75 years, 1 month, 16 days.
In Hiram, Col., June 16, Silas M. Woodman of Harrison.
In Newry, June 18, infant daughter of C. T. Parker wife of Grafton, aged 3 months.
In South Paris, June 26, Elias M. Stowell, aged 78 years.
In South Paris, June 26, Ephraim L. Jordan, aged 58 years.
In Hiram, June 16, Stephen H. Fessenden, aged about 80 years.
In Hiram, June 15, Mrs. Lavinia, widow of the late Wm. Cotton, aged 74 years, 8 months.
In Paris, June 24, Luin Fobes Shaw, aged 82 years, 6 months.
In Germanstown, Pa., June 22, Rev. Sylvester Besse, a native of Paris, aged 82 years.
In Andover, June 25, L. P. Newton, aged 70 years.
In Denmark, June 20, Elmore E. Swan, aged 42 years.
In Sweden, June 5, Charles W. Flint, aged 72 years.
In Buckfield, June 19, Mrs. Charles Gautier, aged 44 years.
In Rumford Falls, June 21, Mrs. Ella Ludden, aged 44 years.
In Rumford Point, Joseph Bartlett, aged 78 years.
In North Waterford, June 21, Mary Ann, wife of Joshua Saunders, aged 63 years.

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Farm in town of Paris on South Oxford road, two and one-half miles from South Paris depot. The farm contains two hundred acres, large lot, orchard and all the usual farm buildings. The buildings are in good repair. Stock and farming tools also for sale. Can be bought at any terms. Apply on the farm or write to 26-28 H. M. BERRY, South Paris, Me.

STATE OF MAINE.
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
Augusta, June 28, 1898.
Notice is hereby given that a Petition for the pardon of Levi Frost a convict in the county jail in Auburn under sentence for the crime of breaking and entering, has been filed with the Governor and Council, and a hearing thereon will be granted in the Council Chamber at Augusta, on Wednesday, the 27th day of July, next at 4 o'clock, p. m.
BYRON-BORN, Secretary of State.

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Mill property on Union street, Berlin, N. H. Building 75 ft. 2 story and basement, now fitted with 16 h. p. gasoline engine and gristmill; wood yard connected operated by same power. Easily converted into any kind of manufacturing business. 26 feet of land fronting 67 ft. by siding. Fine facilities for handling freight. Large opportunity for business. For terms apply to Greenlaw Page & Doe Co. 26-27 Berlin, N. H.

NOTICE.
TO OUR PATRONS AND FRIENDS:
I have purchased the interest of my partner and shall conduct the grocery business alone. Next week I shall have an experienced assistant and hope to give better service than in the past. Thanking you all for your kindness and patronage in the past, I trust I may receive a continuance of the same.
Very respectfully,
CHAS. A. WILEY.

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F. W. FAUNCE, Clerk.
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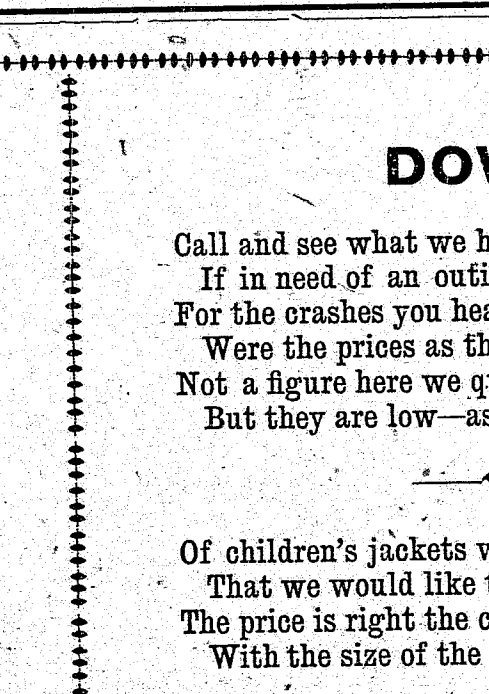
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That we would like to show to you,
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With the size of the child we've nothing to do.

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PEAS BLOSSOM.

By MARTHA M'OULOOH WILLIAMS.

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"How? At faro?"

"No, no. I saw you recognized me. I have played in the most cursed luck



"That will do, Mrs. Eton."

since we have been in this city. What I mean now is real business—leading man in a new troop just organized on a mutual basis."

"Miss Lily Martin, I suppose, is at the head of it?"

"You are right. How did you guess? We make a team that is bound to draw; so you see the profit of the investment."

"No doubt. If you get the money, when will you leave New York?"

"Six sharp tomorrow morning. That is why I am crowding things so. Packed my trunks and sent them off today while Martha was away. Poor old Martha! I wish now I had kissed her good-by."

"You think I will trade with you?"

"I hope so."

"I will not. My impulse is to knock you down for thinking that I would. Don't go. I shall not do it. But I will lend you the \$100 upon your note, the condition being that you never let it be known how you came by it?"

Eton's sigh of relief was almost a sob. After a minute he said thickly, "I see you despise me for this, but really you will be doing her a kindness."

"I know it," Pen said savagely.

The other went on as though Pen had not spoken. "Martha is the best woman alive, but our marriage was a big mistake—for both. You see, we lived in the same house. One night upon the street a fellow followed her. I happened to come by and knocked him into the gutter, for though I'd never spoken to her I'd seen her for three months every day and knew how straight she was. When I drew her hand through my arm to take her home, I felt it tremble and looked down there in the electric light to see her blushing and beautiful. You are a man, sir, and don't need to be told how such things flatter one. I saw she."

Pennington turned upon him savagely. "Silence, if you please. I know quite as much of you and your affairs as I care to endure."

As they went forward so swiftly in silence side by side Pennington's soul rose in rebellion. Here was a woman whose love might honor the noblest man alive pouring it at the feet of this hulking brute, whose attitude to her was an ungracious permission. It must be that women were like flowers—when blossom time came, their hearts opened, no matter how wan or sullen was the sun god then beaming in the sky. This woman, he well knew, was one of those to whom love is a necessity. It was denied her in her poor, safe, slighted home life. What wonder that she lavished it without stint upon this handsome wretch, of whom her fancy had made a demigod long before his hand was raised to shield her from annoyance!

When they came presently to the door of Pen's bachelor apartment, Eton's eyes thirtily took in its splendors, for Pennington was a veritable fin de siècle. All that was possible to art, to wealth, to the most perfect taste found its flowering upon his floors and walls. Just now the splendor, the harmony, the luxury of it oppressed him. The memory of that poor, bare place, with its slim figure smiling out of the open door, hung over him with the oppression of a nightmare. Flinging wide the shutters, he looked down at the street from his eighth story's dizzy height.

He saw faintly a dark, slim shape going slowly back and forth on the street's other side.

Eton's voice made him turn.

"Here's the document, properly conditioned," he said, with a poor bravado that did not mask his uneasiness. When Pen without a word laid the money in his hand, he kissed the crisp notes and thrust them instantly within the breast of his coat, as though fearful they might be snatched from his hand.

Notwithstanding, he staid for a minute, looking himself over in the long mirror at one side and dwelling with measuring glance upon everything in the room.

As he turned to the door he said awkwardly: "I know this—advance—cannot embarrass you. If I have any sort of luck—to match getting it, I mean—why, next year I, too, may have such quarters, where I shall be most happy—Meantime my thanks."

"Excuse me; I am going out," Pen said, striding toward the door. The other followed him to the elevator and said as they went down: "We shall be away a year, Mr. Pennington. Depend on it, though, for your sake The Blazer shall have exclusive news of our first great success."

The elevator car stopped noiselessly. Pen strode past him into the world of night without another word.

It was 4 o'clock in the morning when he came home, but only the stars and

the red river lights had borne him company. When he sat dawdling over his breakfast, the post came in. Always his mail was heavy, even in this dead summer season. He tore open letter after letter, skimmed idly through each and tossed it to the ragged, growing heap at his left hand.

The very last epistle made him start. It was flatly thin—a coarse, cheap envelope with inside it a single sheet of the unruled manuscript paper he knew so well.

Across it in a hand as familiar as the paper, a hand whose quaint curves and ragged shading somehow seemed to typify their maker's untrained mind, ran the words:

"If Mr. Pennington will buy 'Cynthia's Sacrifice' for \$100, by considering it her own property, he will confer a favor beyond words upon his very humble servant, MARTHA C. ETON."

Pen got up heavily. "He told her, after all. Oh, the hound, the hound!" he said, flinging on a street garb with reckless haste. Yesterday's heat was intensified, though the sun no longer shone. A hot, steaming air lay breathless over everything, choking out sap and vigor of man or beast.

Notwithstanding, Pen went in the briefest space to Mrs. Eton's door. It stood wide and through it in and out went the stout German couple from the floor below, carrying the rooms' poor pennington to their own domain.

Pen's heart stood still at the sight.

"Where is she?" he demanded, so sternly that the good German wife fell full the very rocker in which he had sat last night and stood looking at him in terror.

The pair spoke little English, but at last he made out that "the lady" had been alone all night. They heard her come in late—oh, so late—and afterward pacing the floor above where they were sitting, with their sick child. At dawn she had come to them, calm, white faced, had parted with her few possessions for what pittance they chose to offer and afterward had gone away just as the sun was rising. No, she had left no word of any sort. They had known her barely by sight, not even her name, only that she smiled always at the baby in his mother's arms if they met alone upon the stairs and hurried by it with heedless eyes if perchance her husband bore her company. So they gathered that she loved him and he was jealous if she smiled even on a baby or a bird.

All they knew was she was gone and had said she would never come back.

"She followed us last night, has followed him this morning, poor fool," Pennington said as he went away with "Cynthia's Sacrifice" burning in his pocket.

He must find her and give it back at the earliest possible minute. Otherwise he must despise himself as the meaner partner in the robbery of her poor brain.

So thinking he hailed a cab and was driven to The Blazer office. There he found a little flutter about the telegraph desk. Some one was reading aloud over the telegraph editor's shoulder. Pen caught the words "6 o'clock express," "tunnel," "collision"—bare, bald details of an everyday horror, thrilling in spite of its commonness.

He bent forward and let his own eye run over the filmy yellow sheets. A new page caught it. It read:

"The rear car was occupied by the Lily Martin burlesque troop, at least five of whose members are among the killed. They are James Edgar Eton and wife."

Pen got no farther.

He turned away steadily, but his lips were dry, and there was a hard note in his voice as he asked of the old man, "Have you sent anybody?"

"What do you take me for? Is this a last year office?" the old man began in his choicest roar. Something in Pen's face stopped him. He dropped his eyes, drummed hard with the ruler on top of his desk and said, "Maybe you'd better go, too, and look out for poor Mrs. Eton. No doubt she's better off so, but I'd like to have everything done decently for her, and she told me once that outside the office here she had nobody alive to look to."

Pen went to find only such poor, charred wrecks of humanity as made recognition out of the question. One of them, though, had been Martha Eton. Her name was among the passengers of the ill fated car. Moreover the agent remembered perfectly her coming barely in time, her wan face and heavy eyes.

In the face of it all Pen could not doubt her fate. So one of the black husks by his order far away from set ceremonies to a fair hilltop whose crown of sighing pines made all the tenderer the sunlit silence that lay all about. Pen could not bear to think of her who all her life had loved nature, the great mother, sleeping her last sleep amid the trim, clipped splendors of a city of the dead.

There he left her to the healing of silence, the loving of wind and dew and rainy cloud—left her with a thanks giving upon his lip to the power that had vouchsafed her the mercy of death.

Five years later a city theater in its first night fervor rang with cries of "Author! Author!" "Pennington! Pennington!"

The audience, unusually brilliant, rocked and reeled in its enthusiasm. With good reason too. A master hand had laid hold upon its breast and stirred it to tears, to laughter as the sough of wind stirred tall meadow grass. Three well known critics were already exploiting real throughout—a most potent moral antiseptic to the high flavoring he loved. Besides he hated Pennington on personal grounds.

Yet even his rancor dropped a little as Pen, bowing again, yet again, to the storm of applause, said with a thick undertone of tremor: "I thank you more than mere words can say for the honor you do—the play. I do not say my play. It is not mine. The seed thought came to me from a dear soul long dead. I have been, am, but the artificer who

has polished the gem and given it proper setting."

A storm of bravos, of hand clapping, drowned his words, made his heart leap so wildly further speech was impossible. Again he bowed low and turned to go away. Those thrilling shouts, that tempest of glad sound, forbade.

He stood still, his face tense, his eyes burning over the sea of faces alight and a-thrill.

An usher hurried down the aisle. What his hand almost stopped Pennington's breath.

It was a cluster of pea blossoms—not the bright winged creatures of the field, but poor, pale, drawn, as though grown in a narrow, crowded window that got only morning sun rays.

The hearts, though, lacked nothing of perfect sweetness. The breath of it brought back to Pen the August day, the August night, so curiously linked with this supreme moment.

He laid the flowers against his cheek, bowed again and went slowly out of view.

Very early next day he had climbed dangerously near heaven and stood beside a slender, black robed woman looking earnestly at a mat of leafy vines despoiled of all their blossoms. Stripped as it was, it brought cheer to the plain room, of whose plainness Pennington, the superstitious, was quite unaware. Touching his companion's arm, he said softly as she ceased speaking:

"You were curiously wise to let me believe you dead. Otherwise I should have sought you the world over. Tell me, what did you think when you read that your play was to go out to the world as mine?"

"Pure joy," said Martha, hanging her head. "Only that way could the debt be discharged, and while it stood between us—"

"I could never have my peas blossom," Pennington cried, drawing her to him and kissing the tears from her eyes.

THE END.

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RUMFORD FALLS.

John F. Barron's crew has painted the Catholic church.

John S. Virgin of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting relatives here.

Evangeline Funnell is at Wilton, where she will spend her vacation.

Mrs. A. Z. Cates and daughter will spend the summer at Falmouth Foreside.

Mrs. Orrington Berry and little son spent last week with her parents in Lewiston.

Robert McKenyon found that somebody had put acid in the tea in his dinnerpail. He had a narrow escape from poisoning. He laid the crime to Fred Jeffers who was arrested and given a hearing before trial justice Johnson. The evidence showed that Jeffers had opportunity to do it, but there was a great deal more evidence "to show that he didn't use the opportunity, and he was promptly discharged."

PARIS.

Gilbert Shaw has moved to the W. G. Everett place.

Mrs. Charles Mason of Auburn spent Saturday and Sunday at Paris.

Carroll L. Hooper of Boston is visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hooper.

"Hospital Sunday" was observed by the Y. P. C. U., Sunday evening. Appropriate exercises given and a collection taken to help in the sending of medicines and delicacies to our soldiers in the hospitals.

Children's Day concert of the Baptist Sunday school which was to have been given Sunday evening, was postponed on account of the weather and took place, on Sunday morning, at the usual hour of service, 11 o'clock.

Closing exercises of Paris Hill Academy, Saturday evening, were largely patriotic in character. The stage was prettily trimmed with flags and evergreen. The exercises showed care and work both on the part of teachers and students. Special notice is due the improvement in singing which the school has made in the year it has been under the instruction of Rev. H. A. Roberts.

Following is the program of the evening:

Proud Flag of the Free.....Chorus by School
Essay, Our National Song.....Miss Berry
Reading, How to do it.....Dorothy Carter
Reading, Peter Mulrooney and the Black Billy
Flag Drill.....Twelve Young Ladies
Reading, Music on.....Miss Pierce
Reading, Stolen Stars.....J. B. Cole, Jr.
Essay, Our National Song.....Miss Berry
Star Spangled Banner.....Chorus
Reading, Curly and the Bears.....Miss Houghton
Reading, Modern Reform.....Miss Bennett
Solo and Chorus, America, Pride of the World
Reading, Soldier's Prayer.....Miss Stearns
Chorus, America.....School and audience

The concert, Thursday, program was published last week. Nearly every number received an encore. Mr. and Mrs. Briggs are well-known favorites here, and their work is always of the best and fully appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball, Miss Beal and Miss Callahan were heard here for the first time and gave most excellent satisfaction. Mrs. Kimball's fine soprano voice was especially praised. Miss Beal's alto showed scientific training, and Miss Callahan's readings proved her an accomplished artist.

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Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months," and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr. J. B. Rogers, recommended Electric Bitters, and after taking two bottles, I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Bogarty, Lexington, Ky. Sold by Noyes Drug Store, Norway, and F. A. Shurtleff, South Paris.

A. E. Rounds is still lame from the effects of a fall.

Mrs. Chas. Young is so to be around the house again.

Alvin Black of Lowell, Mass., is visiting old friends again.

The road machine has been working in our village, for a few days.

There was a slight frost, the 16th, killing a few beans on low ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stanley of Hollis are visiting friends this way, once more.

Rev. A. J. Davis and wife are in town. There was no services at the church on account of the rain.

Daniel Elliott has beat the record on catching pickerei here, having caught one weighing 2½ lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson have moved back on their place again. They have been stopping in Boston.

Mrs. Joseph Sargent is quite ill, having undergone a surgical operation. She had her eyes removed on account of a cancer.

WEST MINOT.

Peter and John Coine were in the town cities, Saturday.

Asa Cushman and wife of Auburn were in the place, Saturday.

Mrs. F. E. Rowe and Mrs. J. R. Bearce were at Buckfield, Friday.

W. E. Keegan of Lewiston was the guest of L. F. York, Saturday.

Ed. B. Atwood, of Goff St., Auburn, called on friends here, Saturday.

Mrs. Rose Pike was at Turner, Saturday, to visit her brother, S. T. DeCosta.

Mrs. Ada Pratt of Oxford was at her brother's, Fred Parris', Saturday and Sunday.

Earl Harlow of Auburn spent a few days, last week, with his grandmother, Mrs. C. A. Atwood.

Several from West Minot grange are planning to attend the grange picnic at Maranocook, Wednesday.

Rev. L. W. Atwood of South Weymouth, Mass., and Mrs. W. G. Lowell of Auburn visited at Milton Bearce's, last week.

NORTH LOVELL.

H. W. Palmer is building a boat.

Three boarders at Marshall Evans'.

Georgia Keniston is at work for Mrs. H. W. Palmer.

Willis McAlister is making a boat for Mr. Smith who is boarding at Mr. Evans'.

Mrs. Susie Nelson is making her annual visit with her sister, Mrs. B. E. McKen.

Edgar McAlister and son Orville with friends from Lewiston are at their cottage.

Perceval Chubb with his wife, three children, a man and cook are stopping at H. W. Palmer's for a short time. They have rented John Kimball's house and will move there very soon.

Mrs. H. W. Palmer, Lorenzo Farnham, wife and daughter from Stewartstown, N. H., are visiting at J. E. Farnham's and other friends. They, with twelve others took dinner at H. W. Palmer's, Saturday.

Mrs. Joel Haggood is going to move out of Chas. Young's house. George Young is to have her rent. Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Packard are to move out of George Young's house and the foreman of the chair factory is to have that rent.

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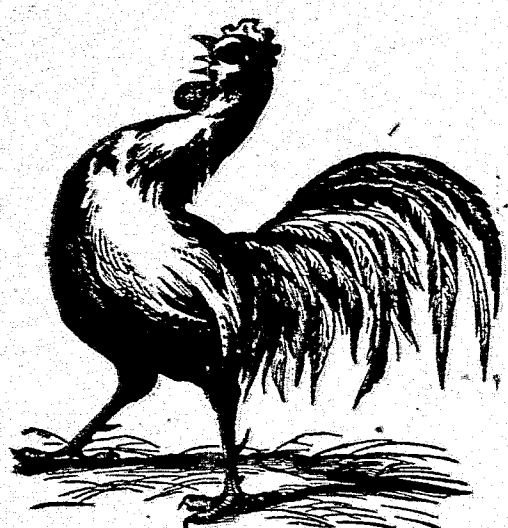
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Co. D in Good Spirits.

Sore Arms.—A Day's Program.—Second Lieutenant Starbird.—Not One in Hospital.—The Maine Boy's Sabbath.—Complimented for Fine Appearance.—Co. D Does Everything Ship-shape.

"Mine's took! How's yours?" And then follows an inspection of left arms to see how the vaccination is doing, for that is all the recreation we have here now, for of all the dull uninteresting places on the map, this takes the cake, and when you are confined to a small area of country, and subject to military law for 24 hours a day, it doesn't take much to relieve the monotony and furnish enjoyment.

We are daily expecting the arrival of the new recruits and all hope there will be some from home in the number, and we are preparing a warm time for them when they do come into camp. It will be a change for some of them, to quit sleeping on feather beds, and come right down to good hard sod, baked hard as adamant, by the good old Georgia sun. It was hard for us, but we had a month of breaking into camp life at Augusta and were prepared somewhat for the change, but it will come hard on the new men, as will the change from pie and cake to hard tack and raw onions.

Some of you have seen the opera of "Erminie" and doubtless remember the song "All for Glory the Soldier's Life." It sounds fine and is pleasing to the eye, but when you come down to the actual experience, you find as much difference as can possibly be imagined, and the glory seems to grow remoter every day.

I give you a day's program as formulated and carried out by Surgeon DeLester. Rise at 7 o'clock, wash; fall in for roll call; police quarters; wash; mess; wash; clean gun; wash; drill; wash; grumble about the weather; wash clothes; mess; wash; dig ditches; wash; sleep for 15 minutes, if the fits allow; wash; drill; wash; mess; wash; sleep; parade; wash; turn in and try to sleep. This is his daily round of pleasure, and even at that he is willing to bet he is the dirtiest man in camp. You can't keep clean here, if you try.

At home, if a fork should drop on the floor, we would not think of using it again until it had been carefully polished, to use a camp expression, but here, let a man drop his slice of bread on the ground, and it is immediately picked up and eaten, dirt and all, and he don't grumble a bit, but thanks "his lucky stars that he has bread to eat at all."

All the boys are congratulating Sergeant Starbird upon his appointment to a second Lieutenant's berth in the regular army, and all hope that he may pass a successful examination. We saw by the Sunday Globe of the 19th inst. that George Hersey of this company has been sent to the hospital; such is not the case, for as I have repeatedly written, we are enjoying the best of health, and not one of us has been in the hospital yet, and from appearances none of us are candidates for any positions there, in fact, barring slight colds and minor troubles caused by the heat and change of water, are all well and having a good time generally.

Last Sunday, while the Maine boys were trying to keep cool in quarters, and were passing the time in writing letters and reading, the Arkansas and Montana boys indulged in a game of base ball which was won by the latter, in the presence of a large crowd, by the score of 9 to 2. That shows the difference be-

tween the North and South, in regard to the Sabbath, for here Sunday is a sort of general holiday, and even in the cities, with the exception of some few stores, everything runs full blast, just as on week days.

We had our weekly inspection on Sunday morning and Co. D received another compliment, when Col. Morton told Capt. Bartlett that he had a splendid regular battle formation, which was given by the fact that the Colonel is not given to the habit of bestowing compliments, unless they are fully deserved. Serg't Sheen also has the pleasure of knowing that he always carries the best looking detail to Guard Mount, every man presenting a neat and soldierly appearance, a fact that has been favorably commented upon more than once, and it is owing mostly to the way Wallis hustles around and impresses upon his men the value of a good set-up.

Our thanks are again due to the "Helpers of Co. D" for the box of stamped envelopes that came, Tuesday night, for they came in very handy, for in the words of the typical Southerner, we "hadn't done got" many more envelopes or stamps.

Fancy drilling is a thing of the past with us, for now about all we practice is the extended order drill, which is the regular battle formation, and which will be used in the active service, which we hope to be engaged in. "Bim!" Sweet has been appointed orderly to Capt. Bartlett, and makes a hustler and a result of his labors, the Captain's quarters are kept in an orderly manner, and everything is as neat as wax.

Cliff Adams is doing lots of carpenter work here, having put down board floors for the hospital tents, and erected a table for the commissary department. Somehow, whenever they want anything done and done in first-class shape, they come to Co. D for it, and the men to do it are never found wanting.

"Doc" Cole got into more trouble yesterday, a stray mule wandered around the camp and "Hod" tried to catch him, but hadn't run ten feet before he tripped and fell down, out of sight into an excavation that has just been begun, but having a little dirt, and an immense amount of joking from the boys, came out all right.

Everyone is well and anxiously waiting orders to move somewhere. Rumor has it that we are to go to Porto Rico soon, but then we don't know anything definitely as yet. Weather still continues warm and pleasant, with no rain for two days.

Co. F of Augusta has a dog, Albany by name, from the fact that he was appropriated at that place, on our trip down here, and he makes life pleasant by indulging in a "scrap" with everything upon four legs that comes within sight of him; and as he is not subject to army regulations, frequently wakes us at 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning, by his barking and general fussiness.

Ross Bickford spends his spare moments between mess hours in collecting spiders and bugs and has a fine collection of the "creepers."

It is mess time, so I must quit and fall in.

TRASK.

Ex-Governor Perham arrived at his summer home on Paris Hill, this week.

Dr. J. C. Gallison has been honored by the selection as member of the Board of Trustees of Dean Academy, a place being made vacant by the death of a member.

WEST PARIS.

Ed. Mann is at home from Orono.

The village schools close, Friday, July 1st.

Mattie Spiller or Shelburne, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. R. Davis.

Mrs. Frank Farnum is visiting her sister, Mrs. Merle Wheeler of Harrison.

Mrs. Albert Rider of Gorham, N. H., visited relatives in the place, last week.

James H. Bennett of East Boston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Shedd, last Saturday.

Miss Fuller of South Paris with her friend, Ollie Gerry, spent the Sabbath at A. R. Bucknam's.

Willie Baker is spending his vacation from Brunswick college at his grandfather's, F. A. Young's.

Bert Young, wife and son Ralph, Mrs. J. H. Barrows and daughter came from Bethel to attend the funeral of the late Oliver Pratt.

Ansie Pratt and family came with the remains from Bridgton.

A baby daughter came to the home of the home of Geo. Young and wife, June 22nd, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bryant are rejoicing over the birth of an eleven pound boy born, June 24.

The remains of Oliver Pratt, a former resident of Trap Corner, were brought here from Bridgton, last Wednesday, and the funeral was held at the Baptist church, Rev. Mr. Wheeler officiating. Interment in the cemetery at this place beside his wife.

Children's day was observed at the M. E. Chapel, last Sunday. The chapel was beautifully decorated with ferns and wild flowers and a profusion of the lovely pansy. The exercises by the children were finely rendered, showing careful drilling by the teachers.

EAST HEBRON.

T. L. Rogers had new potatoes, June 25.

John DeCoster is working for J. F. Dunbar.

Field strawberries are very plenty and all small fruit is looking finely.

Sherman Bonny with his wife and son passed last Sabbath with his father, J. E. Bonney.

J. J. Fuller from Norway was in the place and sold the remainder of his mill machinery to Jeffery Parsons of Minot.

H. Y. Tuttle from Chelsea, Mass., is stopping with his daughter, Mrs. Robinson, while he is off duty on the police force.

The prospect is not very flattering for an abundant apple crop. All vegetation is in fine condition and much earlier than last year.

Social service was held in church, last Sabbath, and the Sunday school. The minister was kept at home by the sickness of his wife.

Kronia B. Ryerson has been quite sick, but her health is slightly improving.

Her sister Rattie is home from Massachusetts, where she has been at work.

Rev. Luther Tibbitt's wife is very sick.

Saturday night they expected she could not live until morning. Her father and brother came from Temple in the night with a team. Her mother has taken care of her for some time past.

WEST BETHEL.

Ed. Bell is building a new stable.

Cora Mason has a very pretty flower garden.

School in this village closes, Friday, July 1st.

Maud Merrow visited at Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

We notice that A. H. Mason has a lot of nice cows.

Ethel Allen is looking very poorly, this summer.

Nelson Wilber and wife were seen in this village, last Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Harden visited her daughter at Bethel, last Monday.

Octavia Grover has sold her house at steam mill village to Moses Grover.

Mary Wiley is doing a lot of dress-making. She does first-class work.

Mrs. J. E. Pike has some very pretty house plants so arranged that they look nice.

W. A. Farwell is preparing to extend the pipe of his aqueduct to another spring where he expects to get better water.

The Ladies' Aid Society will have an entertainment at Bean's Hall, Saturday evening, July 2, for benefit of the new meeting house. A good time is expected. Refreshments served during the evening.

As a Republican caucus held at Bethel, June 25, Eben S. Kilborn received the nomination as candidate for representative to legislature of the town of Bethel, etc., which compose third district. He was chosen without opposition. Mr. Kilborn was born in Harrison, July 1, 1844.

When eight years old came with his parents to live at West Bethel, a neighbor to your correspondent, who has known him from a boy up to the present time. After becoming of proper age he moved to Bethel village, where he has since resided, and for several years carried on mill business doing quite an extensive business in dealing in lumber and other speculations, and by his management has proved himself to be an honest, industrious and shrewd business man, one of the best citizens of the town. We think the people will show him their respect by their vote, at next election. Mr. Kilborn has been a member of the board of selectmen for several years and held various other offices of honor and trust and performed the duties satisfactorily to the town. As member of legislature he will prove himself an earnest worker for the justice and honest rights of the people and the general people.

EAST BETHEL.

George V. Tracy is visiting his brother, W. H. Tracy, here.

Helen E. Bartlett is dressmaking for Mrs. T. R. Day, Bryant's Pond.

Mrs. Sophia Burrell of Auburn is visiting her sister, Mrs. Helen Blake.

Bertie Bartlett of South Framingham, Mass., is spending a short vacation at his home here.

A crew of men with the road machine and six horses are repairing the roads in this place and vicinity.

Mattie D. Tracy will be at home from Lawrence, Mass., July 1, where she has been teaching the past year.

Master Erwin Bean of Dorchester, Mass., and Master Clarence Howe of Waltham, Mass., are spending their summer vacation in this place.

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CARD OF THANKS.

In behalf of the relatives of Mrs. Sarah Hobbs, we wish to tender heartfelt thanks to the Harry Rust Post, Women's Relief Corps, and all others who contributed flowers or in any way assisted in the recent bereavement. MR. AND MRS. J. L. PATTERSON.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices insert for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Mrs. William Millett will serve ice cream, Tuesdays and Fridays, afternoon and evening. She will also take orders for bread, pies and cake.

Mr. Macneil is the agent for the Herbert, a cameo recommended by some of the leading photographers of New England and the West. Secure tickets from him and come to Miss Libby's studio for your sittings before the rush is on.

Please take notice that S. B. & Z. Prince have just received a new lot of silver premium goods.

Lost.—Child's gold neck chain. Return to Dennis Pike and receive reward.

Miss Libby has decided to open a studio through July, August and September, and will introduce something new. She has secured the sole right for the Hulbert Bas-Relief Photo Co. at Louis to make this wonderful work of art, the Bas-Relief and the beautiful Crystal Cameo Photo. To appreciate this work it must be seen. My age will call at your homes that you may spect for yourselves.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

John W. Carter has returned from California.

Grace Bennett is visiting Joseph at Harrison.

Mrs. F. A. Danforth has been laid with lumbago.

Edward E. Harris of Madison has 1 visiting friends in town.

Charles E. Dunn was thrown from carriage, a few days since, and is bruised.

H. L. Haynes has a new dog—a handsome Boston terrier pup, presented friends in Boston.

Marion B. Minard of Gorham, N. has been visiting her grandparents, and Mrs. T. H. Minard.

Miss M. F. Libby, the photographer, is making lantern slides for use in aid of the Maine Association. The subjects are photographs taken by Corporal Maxim at Chickamauga.

Charles P. Barnes, visiting at A. Richardson's, was taken with a severe attack of appendicitis, Monday.

He was taken to the Central Maine General Hospital at Lewiston Wednesday afternoon.

Fred Kelley got his hand over a muzzle of a muzzle leading musket the morning of the Fourth. The morning of the Fourth. The morning of the Fourth. The morning of the Fourth.

He was loaded, and the change exploded his hand badly and blowing considerable powder in his face.

Mora, the actress, who has been Norway, was killed at Hampton Beach, July 4th, by the tornado. She was in a piece "The Blowing up of Maine." She was always when taken of the ruins but died shortly after.

"Here's a box I picked up; per somebody will call for it," said J. Crockett, driving up to the Advertiser door as he was passing, Saturday night. We found that the box contained a quantity of flowers that had been carefully selected. We kept them in a box till night and as no owner appeared we took them out of the box and put them in water. Thus we gained someone else lost.

The services of Frank Monroe of the concert at the Universalist church, day evening, July 10. Mr. Monroe possesses a fine tenor voice and sings admirable style and expression. lovers of good music should not hear him. The concert will commence at 8 o'clock, p. m., and below is the program.

Organ Voluntary. Marion DeLester—Alzamor.

Solo, "Ave Maria"—Mildred.

Reading—Scripture. Mr. Duet, "Abide with Me"—Foster.

Solo. Miss Beal, Mrs. Alma Fendexter Hayden; music by H. Carroll.

Recitation—Scripture. Miss C. Trio, "Sun of My Soul".

Solo, "Fanny's Song". Mrs. Duet, "Love Divine"—Stanley.

"The Goodness of God". Mixed.

Norway Municipal Court.

The fourth of July developed out and a sequel. Andrew Martin drunk and had a fight with his Officer Barrett arrested him and him into court. He pleaded guilty was sentenced to 30 days in jail, sentence suspended.

Russell Merrill was arrested on a single sale of intoxicating liquors. Merrill admitted that the liquor but denied that it was if not a sale it was illegal transport and Judge Davis held that it was Merrill was accordingly sentenced pay \$50 and costs. He settles.

Rev. O. L. Stone of Newry is this week.

Fred Field is visiting his brother Mont Field.

New story, "Casineca," commenced this issue.

E. H. Brown returned from Rome, N. H., Tuesday.

Mrs. Nancy Marshall is visiting at Snow's Falls.

Edward P. Morse has been fix his house on Pike's hill.

Thomas Smiley is laid up with attack of acute dyspepsia.

Mrs. J. W. Nash, who has been for several weeks, is better.

Mrs. Charles Merrill and two of Boston, are visiting in town.

Charles R. Smith and wife of have been visiting his father.

Ruby Jordan from Shapleigh ising her relatives and friends.

Road commissioner Freeman Bridge and Water street sideviewed.

Abner Dodge and wife of have been visiting their daughter Thaddeus Cross.

Wm. H. Knowland and family Sunday and Monday with Mrs. land's parents at Prepost.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knight a day last week, from Gorham, Porter Neighborhood, Paris.

Master Arthur Buswell had hand somewhat torn and burst explosion of paper caps, Monday.

A. E. Morrison and family ford Falls are at Freehold Cottage by Lake Pennesseewassee.

Corporal Fred Lafarier who is suits as a recruiting officer was Sunday, to visit his parents and